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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

SIR:

The following Preliminary Amendment and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

In the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following:

[0001] This application is a continuation-in-part of assignee's pending U.S. Application Serial No. 09/774,236 filed on January 20, 2001, entitled "Method and System for Copy Protection of Data Content," which is a continuation-in-part of assignee's U.S. Application Serial No. 09/397,331 filed on September 14, 1999, entitled "Method and System for Copyright Protection of Digital Images Transmitted over Networks", which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/313,067, filed May 17, 1999, entitled "Methods and Apparatus for